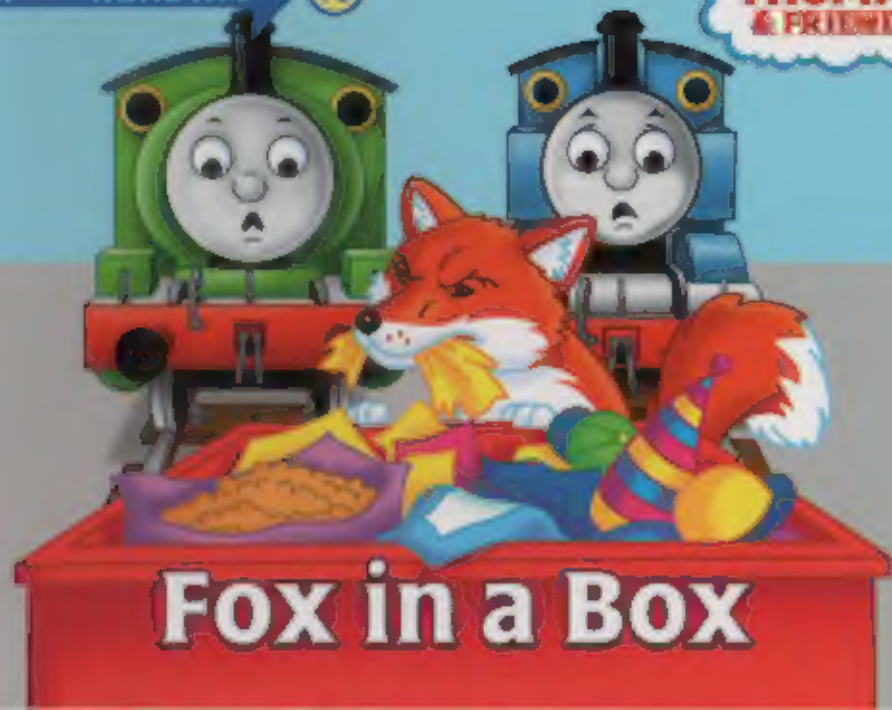


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Thomas and Percy want  
to have a party!

They have a big kit in a box.  
The kit has some nuts,  
bags, and caps.



Look!

It is a fox.

It is a bad fox.





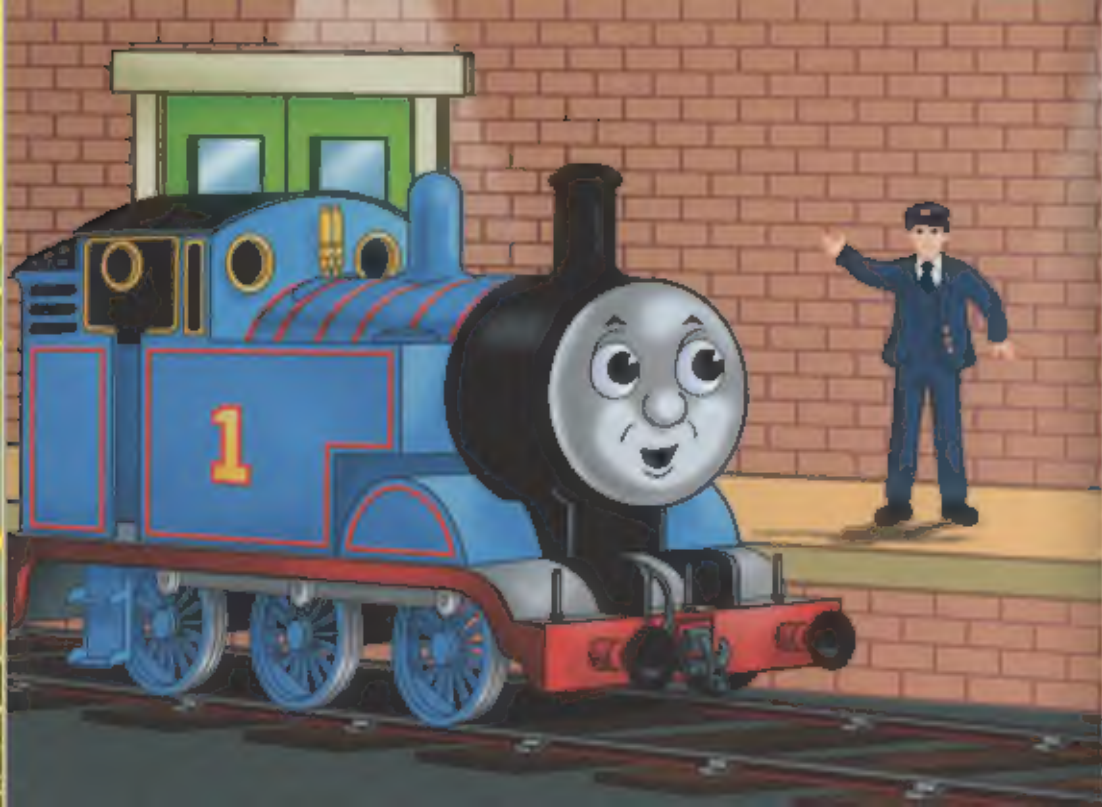
“The fox is in the box!”

says Thomas.

“He wants some nuts,”

says Percy.

The fox nips and rips the bags.



“Where is Driver Dan?”

says Thomas.

“Driver Dan will get the fox.”



Rain!

It is raining.

The fox runs and hides.

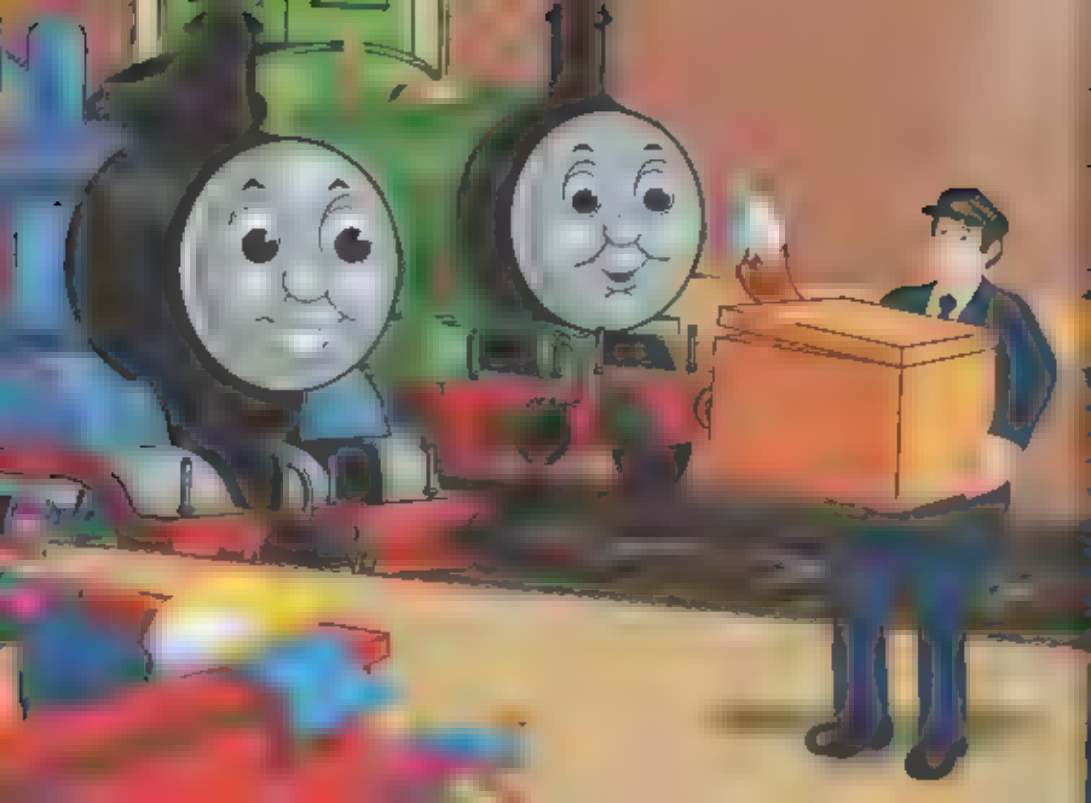
The fox likes nuts, not rain.



A big box.

The fox hid in that big box.

The fox wants the sun.





Where is the fox?

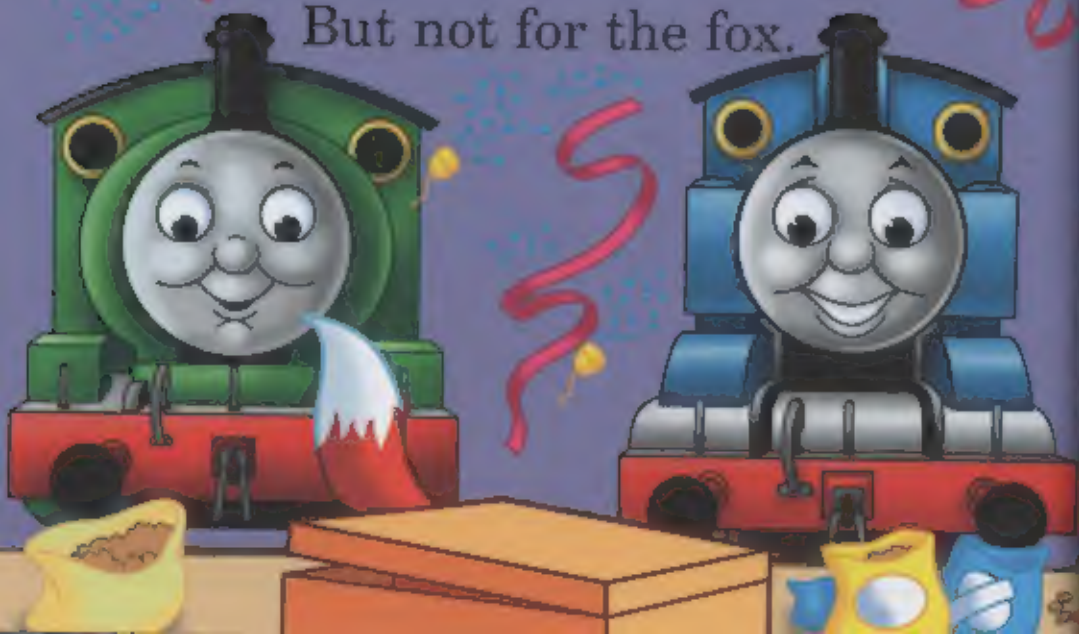
The fox is in the big box.

The fox can not  
nip and rip the bags.

Thomas and Percy can have fun!

The party is fun.

But not for the fox.





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